

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)  
MSW DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025  
(Second Semester)

Branch – SOCIAL WORK

**RURAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (10 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	1	Which one of the following is a characteristic of rural community development? a) Improved targeting of services to meet the needs of the community b) Improved access to appropriate services c) Flexibility and innovative service delivery d) Dominance of Primary Relations	K1	CO1
	2	The integrated development approach emphasis _____ a) Appraise from time to time the progress achieved b) Indicate the factors that tend to retard economic development c) Adequate farm credit through strengthened cooperatives d) Formulate a plan for the most effective and balanced utilization	K2	CO1
2	3	Sriniketan Experiment was envisaged by _____ a) Rabindranath Tagore                      b) Brayne c) Santosh Chandra Mazumdar              d) Gou Gopal Ghosh	K1	CO1
	4	The Marthandom Experiment aim at _____ a) To improve the living conditions of the rural people b) To improve the spirit of cooperation and self-respect c) Help the people to help themselves upwards on all sides of life d) Optimum development of land and water resources	K2	CO1
3	5	The Representation of People Act (RPA), 1951 was related to _____ a) Income Inequalities,                      b) Environmental Degradation c) The Communal Polarization              d) Rural Health	K1	CO1
	6	The National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) was launched _____ a) Social mobilization and promotion and strengthening of self-managed and financially sustainable community institutions of the rural poor women. b) To reduce poverty by enabling the poor households to access gainful self-employment. c) Transparency and accountability of all processes and institutions d) To provide accessible, affordable and quality healthcare to the rural population.	K2	CO1
4	7	Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act was enacted in _____ a) 1994                      b) 1995                      c) 1996                      d) 1997	K1	CO2
	8	Block Panchayat otherwise known as _____ a) Panchayat Samiti                      b) District Panchayat c) Zilla Parishad                      d) Gram Panchayat	K2	CO2
5	9	SGSY was established in _____ a) 1979                      b) 1989                      c) 1999                      d) 2009	K1	CO2

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5	10	Which one of the following initiatives to move towards a demand-driven strategy enabling the states to formulate their own livelihoods-based poverty reduction action plan is at the core of the mission? a) CADP      b) IRDP      c) RLEGP      d) NRLM	K2	CO2
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**SECTION - B (35 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 × 7 = 35)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	11.a.	Outline the importance of social development approach for rural development.	K2	CO1
		(OR)		
	11.b.	Show the salient features of sustainable development approach for rural development.	K2	CO1
2	12.a.	Develop an area planning approach for rural development.	K3	CO2
		(OR)		
	12.b.	Identify the role rural reconstruction approach for the development of rural areas.	K3	CO2
3	13.a.	Examine the crises faced by farmers in India.	K4	CO2
		(OR)		
	13.b.	Analyse the major causes for Environmental degradation.	K4	CO2
4	14.a.	Explain the 73 <sup>rd</sup> Amendment and its features in Constitution of India.	K4	CO3
		(OR)		
	14.b.	Identify the Role of NABARD.	K3	CO3
5	15.a.	Explain the salient features of MGREGS.	K4	CO3
		(OR)		
	15.b.	Identify the objectives of SJGSY.	K3	CO3

**SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(3 × 10 = 30)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	16	Discover the changing face of Rural communities in the end of globalisation.	K4	CO3
2	17	Analyze the role of rural experiments projects in reconstruction and rehabilitation of rural areas.	K4	CO4
3	18	Examine the crisis in Rural Health and Education.	K4	CO4
4	19	List the policies initiatives of Central and State government for rural development in India and Tamilnadu.	K4	CO5
5	20	Elaborate the role of Social Workers in the rural development programmes in Tamilnadu.	K5	CO5

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